Briefing for States on EPA's Draft Hydraulic Fracturing Drinking Water Assessment - Region 6 states (Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas)

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Purpose: Briefing on the EPA's draft report, Assessment of the Potential Impacts of Hydraulic Fracturing for Oil and Gas on Drinking Water Resources. This assessment provides an evaluation of the potential impacts of hydraulic fracturing on drinking water resources and identifies key vulnerabilities. **The information presented at this meeting and discussed is embargoed until publicly released.**

Draft Agenda

10:30 am	Welcome and State Introductions

Ron Curry, Regional Administrator, US EPA Region 6

Teresa Marks, Principal Advisor on Unconventional Oil and Gas, US EPA

Dr. Tom Burke, Deputy Assistant Administrator and EPA Science Advisor, US EPA

Office of Research and Development

10:40 am Opening Remarks/Study Overview

Dr. Tom Burke

10:50 am Presentation on EPA's Draft Assessment

Dr. Jeff Frithsen, US EPA Office of Research and Development

11:20 am State-EPA Discussion

All (led by Dr. Tom Burke)

- Questions and answers
- Messaging
- Communications

12:20 am Wrap-Up

Dr. Tom Burke and Teresa Marks

12:30 am Adjourn